

PATENT CLAIMS

1. Ophthalmological preparation containing dexamethasone as the active ingredient and, optionally, also containing the usual additives and water, characterized by a content of at least one gel-forming pharmacologically acceptable substance in a quantity sufficient for adjusting the viscosity of the preparation as a gel.
2. Preparation according to claim 1, characterized in that the preparation contains at least one carbomer, in particular of the Carbopol 980 NF type, as the gelling agent.
3. Preparation according to claim 1 or claim 2, characterized in that the preparation contains 0.05 to 1% by mass, preferably between 0.1 and 0.6% by mass and, most preferably, about 0.3% by mass of carbomer.
4. Preparation according to one of claims 1 to 3, characterized in that the preparation contains dexamethasone dihydrogen phosphate disodium in a concentration of about 0.1% by mass as the active ingredient.
5. Preparation according to one of claims 1 to 4, characterized in that the preparation has a pH value above 7.3, preferably between 7.6 and 8.2 and, most preferably, between 7.8 and 8.0.

6. Preparation according to one of claims 1 to 5, characterized in that the preparation contains benzododecinium chloride (BAC C12).